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J.W. LITTLE

J.W. Little issued tokens in four different towns. I have not found another person in Alaska to meet or beat this. But there is very little in the LoC about him.

Alaska directories place him in varying places in Prince William Sound as J.W., John and John W. We must keep in mind that these are reporting on the previous year.

Ellamar - 1905, 1907, 1909-10, Pioneer Saloon

Valdez - 1907 (as J.W. Little & Co.) Proprietor of the Northern

Alaska Prospector, Valdez, June 13, 1907.

Latouche - 1909-10, 1911-12

Cordova - 1911-12

He is not found in any of these locations in the 1917-18 directory

Business licenses follow his businesses in Prince William Sound. In 1905, Little had licenses for a barroom and tobacco sales and a pool table in Ellamar. In 1906 he is in Ellamar, Eyak, Latouche, Cordova and Valdez. In 1907 and 1908 he is in Cordova, Ellamar and Latouche.

Alaska Prospector, Valdez, May 8, 1902.
J.W. Little of Ellamar was in town last week. He has bought the saloon and mining property of W.D. Heidorn at Ellamar.

Alaska Prospector, Valdez, February 19, 1903.

Notice of Forfeiture

Ellamar, Alaska, Feb. 19. 1903.

To Lottie Cramer:

You are hereby notified that I have expended $100 in labor and improvements on each of the following claims, to wit: The Moonshine quartz claim and the Lillian quartz claim, situated on Landlock bay in Prince William Sound, Alaska, in order to hold said claim under the provisions of Section 2324, Revised Statutes of the United States, being the amount required to hold said claims for the year ending Dec. 31, 1902. If at the end of ninety days from date you refuse to contribute your proportion of such expenditures, as co-owner, your interest in said property will become the property of the subscriber, under said section 2324.

J.W. Little

Date of first publication Feb. 19, 1903.
Date of last publication Apr. 23, 1903.

Little published 2 or 3 more of these "Notice of Forfeiture" notices on different mining claims.

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EDITOR'S COMMENTS

The other day, I was given a ledger - "Monthly Index to Licenses, Clerk's Office, Fairbanks Pr'ct, District Court of Alaska, Third Division." Listed are licenses for barroom, tobacco, general merchandise, hotels, etc. The dates are from 1905 to 1909, 1911 and 1916. There is very little after 1909.

This ledger appears to have all of Alaska except Southeast and Nome. It goes from Yakutat to the interior, down to Prince William Sound, the Kenai and the Aleutians. There are token issuers on every page. There are 3721 listings!

So in discovering the issuer of the B.N. & Co. token from Eyak, I got hung up on J.W. Little.

Mike Schmetzer found three Chitina tokens that sold on eBay last September selling for only $150 each. How did we miss these? The Chitina Bar made a second appearance and sold for $878.

Speaking of which...I was going to have an article on Tom Cloninger, but there is too much to include in this issue. I will do something in the coming months, perhaps an issue devoted to Chitina. The Chitina Leader on the LoC is loaded. Surprisingly, there are no listings for Chitina in the ledger mentioned above.

Some scarce military tokens brought excellent prices on eBay this month.

Sorry, but nothing for sale this issue. Too busy with the holidays, end of year and inventory.

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PRICES REALIZED

Selected prices realized from eBay:

Anchorage, Family Market FST set	82.50
Anchorage, Quik Stop FST set	66.75
Campion AFS, 734rd NCO OM, $1, B-1?	105.00
Cape Romanzof, NCO Club, $1, B-1a	112.50
Chitina, Hotel Chitina, 25¢, B-1a	150.00OB*
Chitina, Hotel Chitina, 25¢, B-1a	150.00OB*
Chitina, Chitina Bar, 12½¢, B-unl	150.00OB*
Craig, Craig Inn, 25¢, B-2b	9.50
Fairbanks, USSR&M Co. key chain	40.10
Hyder, Bungalow, 25¢, B2a	7.00
Hyder, Bungalow, 50¢, B-2b	14.40
Indian Mt., NCO OM, 25¢, B-1cII	35.00OB
Indian Mt., 708 NCO OM, $1 red alum., B-1eII	125.71
Ketchikan, Hotel Connell, 5¢, B-11a	237.50
King Salmon, NCO Open Mess, $1, B-2unl.	141.31

Klawock, N.P.T. & P. Co., $1 Coin, alum. B-unl	915.00
Nome, Polet Stores, 25¢, B-41f	9.50
Nome, Polet Stores, $1, B-41i	9.50
Palmer, ARRC set, B-1	1,935.00BOA
Palmer, Masonic penny, B-3a	225.00OB
Platinum, Alaska Traders, $1, B-1b	247.50
Platinum, Alaska Traders, 50¢ and $1, B-1 b+c	260.00
Ruby, Dayton, mint sport	31.00
Shemya, NCO OM, $1, B-2j	66.00
Skagway, BPOE (Elks), B-2a	28.00
Sparravohn, 719th NCO OM, $1, B-1 i or j	96.00
Thane, AGM, Tool Check brass, 32mm, B-unl	133.81
Valdez, Copper Block Buffet, 12½¢ TC, B-4a	62.82

(Wainwright), Midnight Sun, 5¢, B-2b	OB199.00ended
Hudson Bay Co., Eastern Arctic, "5"	56.00
Hudson Bay Co., set of 4 brass, Labr. 1, + medal	1,017.59
A.Y.P.E., encased cent, round	31.31
Alaska Gold, 2 Toowah, original	636.78

* from eBay last September!

OB =Opening Bid; NB = No Bid; RL = relist; R = Reserve; RNM = Reserve Not Met; W = withdrawn BIN = Buy it now; BOA = Best Offer Accepted; DNS = Did Not Sell; SUP = sold, unknown price. FTR = see For the Record.

J.W. LITTLE, CONT.

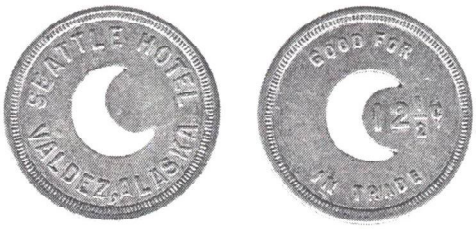
Alaska Prospector, Valdez, July 11, 1907.
We are in receipt of a letter from W. B. Heidorn, who is now in San Francisco asking that we publish a statement of his regarding his Ellamar property. "It has been stated by some one that J.W. Little beat me out of my property at Ellamar, and I wish to state that it is a lie, as Mr. Little bought and paid for everything he got from me, and never beat me out of one cent. The man who originated this report is irresponible and no good and the truth is not in him." W.B. Heidorn, Golden Gate Hotel, San Francisco.

Alaska Prospector, Valdez, December 12, 1907.
J.W. Little of Cordova is registered at the St. Elias.

No longer of Ellamar, but of Cordova! But why "of Cordova? He owned the Northern in Valdez at the time!

Alaska Prospector, Valdez, December 19, 1907.
Charley Walker has purchased the interest of J.W. Little in the Northern Saloon. Charley is an old-timer and is popular among the boys.

Valdez Daily Prospector, March 12, 1912.
The court has approved the granting of a bar room license to Peter Kennedy at Chitina. The licenses of J.W. Little for the Seattle Hotel and Wilson & Smith for the Exchange were also approved.



Valdez Daily Prospector, April 25, 1912.
SEATTLE HOTEL CHANGES HANDS
Chas. Day has taken over the lease of the Seattle Hotel from J.W. Little...

Valdez Daily Prospector, August 15, 1912.
To Whom It May Concern.
Notice is hereby given that I will not be responsible for any debts made or contracted by any person or persons for which contracts or agreements I would be responsible in law were this notice not duly given. J.W. Little.

I'm confused?

Valdez Daily Prospector, August 16, 1912.
Mrs. J.W. Little came up from Ellamar...

Valdez Daily Prospector, August 19, 1912.
Mrs. J.W. Little has removed from Ellamar to this city, having taken apartments in the Crawford block. Owing to incompatibility Mrs. Little has decided to separate from Mr. Little for good and all.

Perhaps I am a little less confused. So J.W. was running businesses in Valdez and Cordova, while leaving the Mrs. to run the saloon in Ellamar?

Valdez Daily Prospector, February 6, 1913.
Mrs. J.W. Little will leave on the Mariposa for the states. She has been held in Valdez for several weeks as a witness for the government.

There must be a "The Rest of the Story," but I did not find it on the LoC.

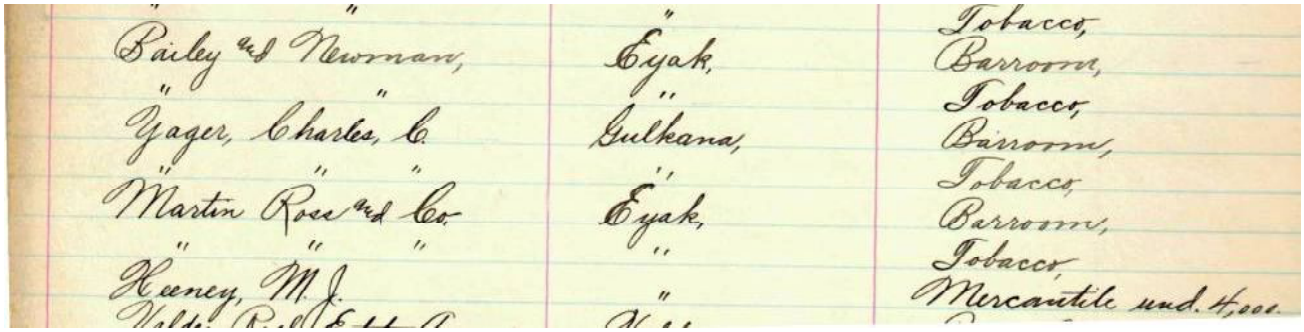
Douglas Island News, June 17, 1914.
A fire in Latouche on Tuesday morning destroyed the principal buildings of that burg. The large building of J.W. Little, built several years ago at a cost of something like $15,000 was whole destroyed.

Cordova Daily Times, March 15,1917.
Our former townsman, J.W. Little, is visiting with local friends on his return from Seattle to Latouche.

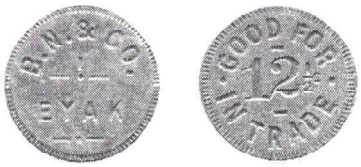
Here the trail ends.

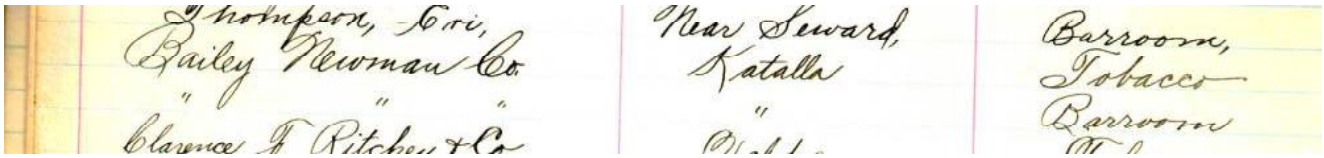
B.N.CO. - Eyak B-1

I have scoured the LoC trying to discover who B.N. was with no luck. The ledger, mentioned in "Editor's Comments," has identified the issuer of this token.



On page 96, there is a listing for Bailey & Newman in Eyak in 1906, with licenses for tobacco and to run a barroom. In 1906, Eyak was booming. Joining Bailey & Newman in Eyak in 1906 are Johnson (should be Johnston) & Jensen, J.W. Little, and Smith & Duval. There are a total of eight barrooms!





On page 144, there is a listing for Bailey Newman Co. in Katalla in 1907 and 1908.

With this information, I could search the LoC for Bailey Newman. Sadly, there was only one mention.

Chitina Leader, September 9, 1911.
LICENSES ARE RENEWED
The following renewals of licenses were granted by the district court: Thomas J. Davis, O'Brien & Simpson, Thisted & Rose, of Cordova; Palmer & Cloninger, of Chitina; F.B Vaugh, Clear Creek; Hitchcock & Weierman, Susitna; Wile and Little, Latouche; Charles Cowell, Copper Center; ***Bailey, Newman & Co. of Katalla,*** *and W.H. Blackwell, Valdez.*

But who were Bailey and Newman?

The directories are of little use, showing a Newman, Baily in Katalla in 1907 and 1909-10 with no additional data.

This makes it a bit confusing. Was Newman's first name Bailey? Were there two people named Bailey and Newman? There are two Newmans listed in the directories in Katalla: N.A. Newman working for the Katalla Co., and Thomas Newman, with a hotel. There are no Baileys listed in Katalla.

The ledger shows no Newman in Katalla, but it does show A.S. Bailey running a restaurant in Catella in 1907 and 1909.

We have Baily Newman (1 person), Bailey & Newman, (2 people) Bailey Newman Co.(1 or 2 people), and Bailey, Newman & Co. (2 people)

So, was this two people, Bailey and Newman, or one person named Baily Newman? Have we really identified the issuer of this token?

BRIE, LUCAS & THE CANTEEN

The Canteen tokens from Douglas are noteworthy. There are incuse brass tokens, and a nice pictorial token with a canteen. This token with a canteen was issued by Rossman & Kohn, circa 1903. It was issued prior to Brie and Lucas purchasing the Canteen.

Douglas Island News, November 7, 1900.
HAINES ITEMS
Henry Brie and S.G. Lucas have leased a part of Jack Dalton's building and intend running a saloon in it.

Daily Alaskan, Skagway, April 17, 1905.
Lucas & Brie, of Haines, have purchased the Canteen saloon of Douglas. This place was formerly the property of George L. Rice, formerly of Skagway, who has gone into the saloon business and restaurant business at Juneau. Henry Brie will conduct the Douglas place. S. Lucas will remain in charge of the Haines business of the firm.

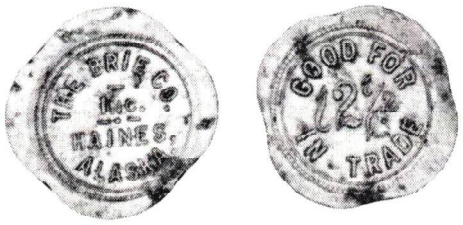
Douglas Island News, June 7, 1905.

Douglas Island News, August 22, 1906.
Sam Lucas, of Haines, one of the owners of the Douglas Canteen, has been a very sick man, but at last accounts was very much improved and well on the road to recovery. His illness was so serious that Mr. Brie of this city was summoned to his bedside.

Douglas Island News, September 19, 1906.
Mr. Sam Lucas, of Haines, was in town this morning, on his way to Tenakee Hot Springs. He has not yet entirely recovered from his recent severe illness, nor has he regained his usual waist measurement.

Daily Alaskan, January 22, 1907.
Rumors have gotten into circulation somehow in certain quarters that the soldiers who assisted at the Haines fire were not guiltless of looting. It was said they had taken liquor and cigars from the saloon of Lucas & Brie, which was burned. Investigation discloses the fact that there was absolutely no foundation for the rumor. Concerning it, S.G. Lucas, of Lucas & Brie, today wired from Haines as follows: "No truth whatever in soldiers looting saloon had it not been for the soldiers the town would have burned entirely.

"S.G. Lucas"



Daily Alaskan, Skagway, January 28, 1907.
The firm of Lucas & Brie, victims of the Haines fire, will reopen for business at once. A tent will be used until a new building can be erected. Work on the new building will begin at once.

Daily Alaskan, Skagway, April 29, 1907.
Lucas & Brie, of Haines, have about completed their new saloon building at that place. They will have one of the best appointed resorts on Lynn canal.

Douglas Island News, July 3, 1907.
Protests against the issuance of saloon licenses to the Canteen and the Board of Trade were filed in federal court. Judge Wickersham listened to the evidence presented by a score of witnesses on behalf of the Canteen, but finally decided to pass all matters over to Judge Gunnison, who will return to Juneau in September.

Douglas Island News, January 29, 1908.
Henry Brie and partners, who have purchased the Lovely interests at Warm Springs Bay, are busily en-

BRIE, LUCAS & THE CANTEEN, CONT.

gaged repairing cabins and putting them in shape for occupancy. They expect by early spring to have the place ready for accommodation of people who will be drawn there by the natural attractions of the spot.

Douglas Island News, July 29, 1908.
The saloon of Lucas & Brie and the meat market of the Frye-Bruhn Co., at Haines were entered by burglars last week, but the amount of their peculations was not large.

Douglas Island News, September 16, 1908.
Sam Lucas, who was operated on last week at Simpson hospital for appendicitis, is well on the road to recovery.

Daily Alaskan, Skagway, September 19, 1908.
SUDDEN DEATH OF SAM LUCAS
Passengers on the Peterson up from Haines today bring news of the sudden death of Sam Lucas, which took place last night at Juneau. Mr. Lucas went to Juneau to be operated on for appendicitis. The operation had been performed and he was reported as late as 10 o'clock last night as being in a fair way to speedy recovery. He took a sudden relapse and died during the night. Mr. Lucas was very popular in Haines and his death will cause general sorrow. He was of the firm Lucas & Brie.

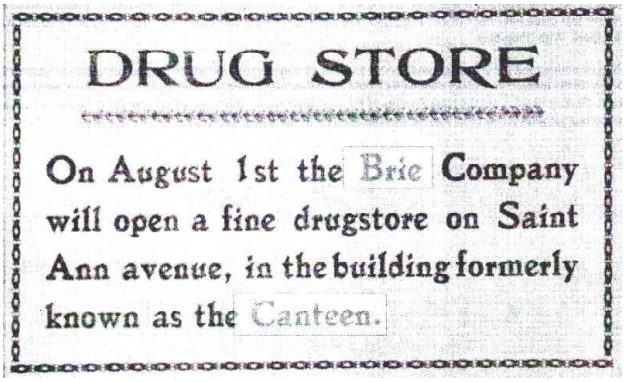
Daily Alaskan, Skagway, September 22, 1908.
The funeral of the last Sam Lucas of Haines, took place yesterday at Juneau. At the same hour the beautiful memorial service of the Arctic Brotherhood was performed at Haines by Haines Camp No. 17

Daily Alaskan, Skagway, October 22, 1908.
HENRY BRIE APPOINTED ADMINISTRATOR
At a hearing before Judge La Fevre, sitting as probate judge this morning, Mr. Henry Brie was appointed administrator of the estate of the late Sam Lucas of Haines. Mr. Brie is the surviving partner of the firm of Lucas & Brie. The estate consists of half interest in the Gateway saloon at Haines, and the Canteen saloon at Douglas. Mr. Cheney appeared for Mr. Brie. Jules B. Caro, of Caro & Hooker, Juneau, will act as one of the appraisers. He came up on the Jefferson in connection with the business.

Daily Alaskan, Skagway, October 24, 1908.
Henry Brie, who is up from Douglas on business in connection with the estate of his partner, the late Sam Lucas, says he has purchased an interest at Warm Springs, a place which he believes will more than rival Tenakee, when it comes to be better known. He says the baths have medicinal properties; that they are not merely warm but hot; that the country surrounding is beautiful to look at; that there is a fresh water lake at the spot with fine fishing and hunting. The location is just across Chatham straits from Killisnoo. The post office is Baranoff. The Georgia runs in there every two weeks.

Douglas Island News, May 5, 1915.
Canteen Will Close
Mr. Henry Brie of the Canteen announced that he will not apply for a license this year, but will close out his stock as rapidly as possible and quit the liquor business. However, Mr. Brie will not sever his connection with the business interests of the town, but will open an up to date drug store at the same old stand. The front of the building will be remodeled, show windows put in and a fine stock of drugs will fill the shelves. Everyone will agree that the opening of such a business at that location is an attractive one, and will wish Mr. Brie all kinds of luck.

Douglas Island News, June 23, 1915.
The Canteen, Brie Company, is closing out his stock of wines and liquors at cost, and at midnight June 30th the old Canteen will be a thing of the past. Mr. Brie has employed an experienced pharmacist and is busy ordering a large stock of drugs and such articles usually carried in a first class drug store...Mr. Brie expects to have the new store open for business on August 1st.


DRUG STORE

On August 1st the Brie Company will open a fine drugstore on Saint Ann avenue, in the building formerly known as the Canteen.

Douglas Island News, July 7, 1915.

K & I FANTASY TOKENS

by Irene Shuler

When Kaye Dethridge learned from a California collector of a hoard of Alaska trade token mules, he thought "Oh, no, I hope they don't get into circulation." He was concerned that collectors might be fooled by the tokens and think they were the real thing and pay a big price for them. These were tokens, some with obverse of scarce businesses, which reportedly had been made by someone unauthorized to make them, and they did not fit with the details of the actual original tokens as ordered by the businesses named. They might have, for instance, a denomination never used by the business or be made of a metal never used by that business. As an example, it might be a laundry token saying "good for one drink." They had reportedly been produced by a "nighttime janitor" working at the facility where the real tokens had been made, using original dies, but with unmatched obverse and reverse dies. Tokens (or coins) like this which are not correct are known as mules, mint sports, fantasies. Most of the tokens in this hoard were junk tokens, that is, very common so with not much demand. But there were 40 or so that would be very desirable if real and therefore considered more dangerous.

This situation weighed on Kaye's mind for several years and then he decided to buy the hoard and to make sure these tokens never got circulated. He did so and then wondered what he'd ever do with them. He felt that these were items that would be of interest to collectors, particularly since some represented scarce tokens. And, even though they were not right, they could fill a space in a collection for an item the collector probably would never find.

But the problem remained that they looked, to the casual observer, like the real thing.

All of this occurred over the past twenty years and during the past year, after consultation with Dick Hanscom and Mike Schmetzer, it was decided that the best of the tokens would be counterstamped so they can't be confused with the real ones, and the common ones with very little collector interest would be deep-sixed into Sitka Sound. Each of the counterstamped tokens will have "K&I / FANTASY" stamped onto it. This is for Kaye and his wife, Irene Shuler, who have operated their token business together for the past 40+ years.

All are shown at 1 inch. (X) = number counterstamped.

AKIAK
Carl I. Carlson, 5¢ (1)
CHOMLY
Alaska Pacific Fisheries, 25¢ (4)
PORTLOCK CITY
Alaska Consolidated Fisheries, 10¢ (4)
PYBUS BAY
Alaska Pacific Fisheries, 25¢ (3)
RUBY
Dayton, 25¢ (8)
SITKA
Hans Anderson, 5¢ (1)
TEE HARBOR
Alaska Pacific Fisheries, 5¢ (5)
TENAKEE
Columbia Salmon Co., 5¢, (4)
YAKUTAT
Monty Bay Billiard Hall, 25¢ (1)
YES BAY
Alaska Pacific Fisheries, 5¢ (10)

$30 each postpaid. Email Kaye at kaye@alaskatokens.com or phone or text 907-738-0982

MINT SPORTS

Editor's comments: While a "midnight minter" makes for a good story (and I don't doubt that is what Kaye was told), I believe the characteristics of the tokens do not support this theory. I think if this were the case, the quality would be better. I believe the dies were purchased as scrap after the stamping company went out of business. The tokens were then struck from inferior material and inferior pressing, as follows:

1) These tokens are thinner than the normal tokens, indicating that the minter did not have access to quality blanks. The blanks are often oversized for the dies.

2) They are struck without a collar (known a splasher), giving them a less than perfect circular shape.

3) In general, they are poorly struck, perhaps for lack of a good press.

I now own some of the dies that were used to make mint sports. I have the ability to press "mint sports" and have actually used some of the dies -for Fairbanks Coin Club tokens, uniface pressings, etc. I do not have the capability to make a product that would imitate the original tokens struck from these dies.

FOR THE RECORD

FAIRBANKS: U.S.S.R. & CO., key fob. This is the United States Smelting, Refining & Mining Co. They ran the dredges around Fairbanks. Brass, size not reported.

GAMING IN VALDEZ

Chitina Leader, November 4, 1913.
The report comes from Valdez that the Cordova contingent, then lingering in the seat of justice, had a high old time on Friday night. The Eagles gave an entertainment that was a replica of amusement during pioneer days. They fitted up a gambling and concert hall such as made the old timers imagine that they were again enjoying the prosperous days of yore. The payment of $1.50 for a ticket of admission entitled the holder to $150, $1,500, $15,000, or something like that of phony greenbacks. The roulette, faro and blackjack tables did a thriving business, and men and women played with as much zest as though they were trying to get a corner on the money market. The dancing girls and bar maids contributed their share of entertainment. For a time Tom Cloninger volunteered to show them how to operate a blackjack game. And then a pal turned out the lights for a minute and afterward it was discovered that there was a shortage of $150,000. This news at once got out and it is said that the district attorney's office issued a hurry up call and tried to induce members of the grand jury to convene in special session and bring an indictment. But the jurors were too busily engaged at other games and refused to take up the matter until Monday. In the meantime Tom Cloninger arranged for an early get away and left Valdez yesterday morning early on a launch. And now he proudly displays his loot, realizing that there is no representative of justice in Cordova as he defies the district attorney's office to do their best.

FOR THE RECORD

INDIAN MOUNTAIN: 708 NCO Open Mess, $1 in trade, red aluminum, presumably B-1fII, the listing as 5¢ being incorrect.

THE DOUGLAS CIGAR STORE - FEEDBACK

by J.D. Williams

In regard to The Douglas Cigar Store token, Benice first listed The Douglas Cigar Store token in his Second edition 1994. When he released his Third edition he states "Attribution to Douglas, Alaska tentative. Atypical design with elongated D."

It seems more probable that the Douglas Cigar Store token listed by Benice is actually from Washington state. Since 1998 it has been listed in Al Erickson's Washington State Trade Tokens as being from The Douglas Cigar Store in Tacoma, Washington. Al Erickson lived in Tacoma and personally compiled the Washington state token catalog.

In looking at the Tacoma newspapers it appears that the Douglas Cigar Store was in business in Tacoma from 1920 until at least the 1950s, which gave it plenty of time to have issued one or more tokens. So attribution of the token as an R4 Washington token in the Washington State Trade Tokens catalog is probably pretty well grounded.

Tokencatalog.com lists and pictures the elongate D and one other The Douglas Cigar Store token. Tokencatalog.com says the elongated D token is also attributed to Portland, Oregon. Of course there have been lots of Douglas Cigar Stores so it could have been from the Douglas Cigar Store in Wyoming or Colorado or Arizona or one of the seven or more states that have had a Douglas Cigar Store.

You note that no ads for the Douglas Cigar Store appear in the Douglas papers. The Douglas Island News reported that there was a Douglas Cigar factory in Douglas, Alaska in the early 1900s, but there does not appear to have been a Douglas Cigar Store in Douglas.

However, a Douglas Cigar Store was located across the Gastineau Channel at 219 Front Street in Juneau. It was a regular advertiser in the Daily Alaska Empire of Juneau in the 1920s.

Although the Douglas Cigar Store in Juneau could have issued tokens, it does not seem likely. Kaye Dethridge, who has dealt in Alaska tokens for several decades and prior to breaking up his collection had assembled the largest known collection of Alaska tokens, did not have a Douglas Cigar Store token in his collection even though he lived in Juneau for a number of years and had a shop with a coin and token display case. Since he never ran across a Douglas Cigar Store token when he was actively collecting, it seems unlikely that either of the known token types were issued or used by the Douglas Cigar Store that operated in Juneau in the 1920s.

In the hundred or more display ads run by the Douglas Cigar Store in Juneau in The Daily Alaska Empire the cigar store used the name "Douglas Cigar Store" and not "The Douglas Cigar Store." As noted above the name "The Douglas Cigar Store" appears on the two known token varieties. If it was important to the proprietor to include the word "The" on the token where space is very limited, then presumably if the tokens were from Juneau the word "The" would also have appeared in display ads where space limitations would not be an issue.

So the conclusion remains that the elongated D token is probably from Tacoma, Washington. As for the other The Douglas Cigar Store token listed in tokencatalog.com, it is likely to be an earlier token, also from the cigar store in Tacoma as the chances of two different Douglas Cigar Stores using the word "The" before their name on a token is probably not very high.

FOR THE RECORD

KING SALMON, NCO Open Mess, $1 I/M, red aluminum, probably 36mm.

THIRST AID ON ALASKA AIRLINES

Last issue when I said that the "Coconut Grizzly had never been in the newsletter, J.D. Williams corrected me and directed me to 2005 where the Grizzly was offered for sale. I was correct. It is not in the index. My excuse is that I do not index items for sale. J.D. went further to provide other examples of beverage vouchers on Alaska Airlines.

The "Thirst Aid Card" is blue, green and black on white, 102mm by 57mm. "For use only on Alaska Airlines, Good for one complimentary beverage per card (not more than two cards will be accepted per flight - must be consumed on board)."

The "Thirst Aid Books" in the right column are 115mm by 57mm. Each book contains 8 "Thirst Aid Cards". The cards, when removed from the book is 105mm by 57mm. As indicated by the Auditor's Coupon on the back of the book, these were purchased by passengers.

All are shown at a reduced size. Circa 1976-1991.